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HEARING SYNOPSIS

November 7, 2019 Agenda (16th Meeting)

Present: O'Donnell, Ganaban, Minn, Miyashiro, Lee

PUBLIC HEARINGS – LICENSES GRANTED

[Comm. Ganaban moved for approval; Comm. Minn seconded; Vote 5:0]

Three Brothers Market Corporation, dba Three Brothers Market Corporation
Retail General license
Transfer from ABC Global Corporation, dba Whitmore Mini Mart
1203 Whitmore Avenue, Wahiawa

Longs Drug Stores California L.L.C., dba Longs Drugs #7107
89-102 Farrington Highway, Waianae
Retail General license

United Sake Co., Ltd., dba Islander Sake Brewery Hawaii
753 Queen Street, Units A and C
Small Craft Producer Pub license (Category No. 1 - Standard Bar)

Uncle's NY Pub & Grill LLC, dba Uncle's NY Pub & Grill
2299 Kuhio Avenue (The Laylow hotel)
Restaurant General license (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)

APPROVED AT PRELIMINARY HEARING

[Comm. Ganaban moved for approval; Comm. Minn seconded; Vote 5:0]

H Mart Kakaako, LLC, dba H Mart
458 Keawe Street
Retail General license

OTHER LICENSE/APPLICATION/REQUEST GRANTED

[Comm. Ganaban moved for approval; Comm. Minn seconded; Vote 5:0]

Ho`Ola Na Pua, dba Ho`Ola Na Pua
4211 Waiālae Avenue (Kahala Mall; Macy's parking lot)
*[Non-Profit] Special General license on Saturday, November 9, 2019, from 4:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.
(Burger Bash)*
Approved with conditions

Sam's Seafood Company, Inc., dba Camellia Buffet
930 McCully Street, the current site of Camellia Buffet
Temporary Dispenser General license (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)

BIFA Seafood, Inc., dba BIFA Seafood, Inc.
Restaurant General license (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)
3611 Waiālae Avenue
Approval of the transfer of capital stock and notification of new officer, director, and stockholder

Moku Kakaako, LLC, dba Moku Kitchen
Restaurant General license (Category No. 2 – Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)
660 Ala Moana Boulevard, Unit 145
Notification of new manager

Sunrice Inc., dba Tori Ton
Restaurant General license (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)
2334 South King Street, Unit B
*Withdrawal of Request No. 18-12819 for permanent extension of its licensed premises, approximately
972 square feet (Request approved on December 7, 2017)*

Neal T. Gota, Esq., on behalf of Koromo LLC, dba Koromo
Premises at 98-1005 Moanalua Road, #545 (Pearlridge Center)
*Waiver of Rule 3-82-32.1(a) requiring a temporary license application be filed within five working days of
the surrender of the previous license or the closing of the business*

OTHER LICENSE/APPLICATION/REQUEST – NO ACTION

Mr. Alex Hendry, president, Quick Cuisine Hawaii
Requesting approval of Proposal for Alcohol Delivery
NO ACTION TAKEN BY COMMISSION

Liquor Commission
Re: KTY 8816 LLC, dba Style Loft Hair Studio, Dispenser Beer & Wine license (Category No. 1 –
Standard Bar), 1601 Kapiolani Boulevard, Suite 100 – Six-month review of operations
NO ACTION REQUIRED BY COMMISSION

OTHER LICENSE/APPLICATION/REQUEST CONTINUED TO NEXT AVAILABLE DATE

[Comm. Ganaban moved for continuance; Comm. Minn seconded; Vote 5:0]

Food & Beverage Associates, Inc., dba Chef Mavro Restaurant
Dispenser General license (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)
1969 South King Street
For approval of the transfer of capital stock and notification of new officer, director, and stockholder

Siam Restaurants LLC, dba Siam Paradise Restaurant and Sports Pub
Dispenser General license (Categories No. 3 and 4 - Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing;
and Hostess)
1336 Dillingham Boulevard
For approval of deletion of a member and transfer of membership interests

ADJUDICATION HEARINGS

[Comm. Minn moved to accept or amend recommended penalty; Comm. Ganaban
seconded; Vote 5:0]

Club Sundance, Inc., dba Club Sundance
Dispenser General (Categories No. 2 & 4 – Nudity; and Hostess)
703 Queen Street

Violation: Rule 3-82-38.20(b) [Permitted liquor of any kind, while in bottle, glass or other container, to be
open and readily consumable within the licensed premises before or after hours]
Plea: Admitted allegations
Disposition: \$500 penalty + additional \$300 (\$10 x 30 minutes), total penalty of \$800

On Stage Drinks & Grinds, LLC, dba On Stage Drinks & Grinds
Dispenser General (Category No. 3 – Live Entertainment or Recorded Music and Dancing)
802 Kapahulu Avenue

Charge 1

Violation: Rule 3-82-38.20(b) [Permitted liquor of any kind, while in bottle, glass or other container, to be
open and readily consumable within the licensed premises before or after hours]
Plea: No contest with explanation
Disposition: \$750 penalty (prior) + additional \$50 (\$10 x 5 minutes), total penalty of \$800

Charge 2

Violation: Rule 3-82-38.4(b) [Failure to make time record entries at the time its employees reported
on duty and again when the employees went off duty]
Plea: No contest with explanation
Disposition: \$250 penalty

Pantastico, Inc., dba Silva's Grocery & Liquor
Retail General

91-455 Ewa Beach Road, Ewa Beach

Violation: Section 281-31(t), HRS [Licensee purchased or acquired liquor from a person or entity
other than a licensed wholesaler for purposes of resale]
Plea: No contest with explanation
Disposition: \$500 penalty; suspend \$500 if no similar violation within one-year period

IREM L.L.P., dba Ichiriki Japanese Nabe Restaurant
Restaurant General (Category No. 1 – Standard Bar)
510 Piikoi Street, #102/105

Violation: Section 281-31(t), HRS [Licensee purchased or acquired liquor from a person or entity
other than a licensed wholesaler for purposes of resale]
Plea: No contest with explanation
Disposition: \$500 penalty

Kokua Country Foods Cooperative, dba Kokua Market
Retail Beer & Wine

2643 South King Street

Violation: Section 281-41(i), HRS [Failure to timely notify of name, age, and residence of officer or
director]
Plea: No contest with explanation
Disposition: \$1,000 penalty (priors); suspend \$500 if no similar violation within one-year period

Forward Oahu Nui, dba Forward Oahu Nui
[Non-Profit] Special General
1525 Bernice Street

Violation: Section 281-78(b)(1)(A), HRS [Sold, served or furnished intoxicating liquor to a minor, or allowed consumption of intoxicating liquor by a minor at the licensed premises]
Plea: No contest with explanation
Disposition: \$1,000 penalty

TMNPS Corporation (New Corp), dba Saigon Passion III
Cabaret General (Category No. 2 – Nudity)
1420 Kapiolani Boulevard, Suite 1420K

Violation: Rule 3-82-38.5(i) [Employed a person as a hostess or permitted said employee to perform duties as a hostess without being authorized a hostess license]
Plea: No contest with explanation
Disposition: \$500 penalty (prior)

ADJUDICATION HEARINGS – CONTINUED TO DECEMBER 5, 2019
[Comm. Minn moved for continuance; Comm. Ganaban seconded; Vote 5:0]

939 Entertainment LLC, dba Club 939
Dispenser General (Categories No. 2 & 4 – Nudity; and Hostess)
939 Keeaumoku Street

Charge 1

Violation: Rule 3-84-78.02(a) [Employee, who was not employed as an exotic dancer was unclothed or in such attire, costume or clothing as to expose to view any portion of the pubic hair, anus, cleft of the buttocks, genitalia, or any portion of the breast below the top of the areola]

Charge 2

Violation: Rule 3-84-78.042 [Licensee encouraged and/or permitted a person on the licensed premises to touch, caress or fondle the breasts, buttocks, anus or genitalia of herself or any other person, either directly or through the clothing or any other material]

Charge 3

Violation: Rule 3-82-47.1(c) [Licensee permitted and/or allowed employee and customer to engage in 'lap dancing' within the licensed premises]

CONTESTED ADJUDICATION HEARING

[Comm. Minn moved to deem allegations sustained and accept recommended penalty;
Comm. Ganaban seconded; Vote 5:0]

TMNPS Corporation (New Corp), dba Saigon Passion III
Cabaret General (Category No. 2 – Nudity)
1420 Kapiolani Boulevard, Suite 1420K

Charge 1

Violation: Section 281-78(b)(6), HRS [Failure to timely prevent or suppress any violent, quarrelsome, disorderly, lewd, immoral, or unlawful conduct of any person on the licensed premises]

Plea: Denied allegations

Disposition: Allegations deemed sustained; \$2,000 penalty (prior)

Charge 2

Violation: Section 281-38, HRS [Failure to comply with any other laws applicable to the business of Licensee, whether in existence at the time of issue of such license or enacted or amended from time to time thereafter]

Disposition: Dismissed by Corporation Counsel